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VIA ECF

Honorable Michael A. Hammer United States District Court for the District of New Jersey Martin Luther King Courthouse 50 Walnut Street Room 2C Newark, NJ 07101

Re: United States v. Matthew Goettsche, et al., 19-CR-877 (CCC)

Proposed Modification of Pretrial Release Order

Dear Judge Hammer:

Please accept this letter in lieu of a more formal motion on behalf of Defendant Matthew Goettsche. We respectfully move to modify his bail condition that he be in the presence of a third-party custodian at all times to the modified bail condition that he be in the presence of a third-party custodian between 8:00 p.m. (MT) and 10 a.m. (MT). The Court's Order Setting Conditions of Release (dkt. 171) requires Mr. Goettsche to remain under home incarceration and that he "shall remain in the presence of a third-party custodian at all times unless otherwise approved by Pretrial Services." The Court previously approved other proposed consent bail modifications to these conditions (dkts 187, 193, 225, 229, 251, 257, 270, 281, 290). The Court previously denied a motion to modify bail conditions (dkt. 268). The aforementioned proposed modification would not otherwise modify the home incarceration condition or any other conditions as previously set forth or modified by this Court.

Pretrial Services and the government, through AUSA Anthony Torntore, have no objection to this proposed request. Thank you in advance.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

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